

**PATENT** 

### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re:

Patent application of

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# PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

- 1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of three month(s): (check and complete the applicable item below)
  - [X] to respond to the Office Letter mailed on October 12, 2001
- 2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested:

[X] is filed herewith.

#### CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.8(a)

I hereby certify that this paper, along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed, is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date indicated below, with sufficient postage, as first class mail, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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### 3. Applicant is

[X] a small entity.

#### 4. Calculation of extension fee

Total Months Requested	Fee for other than small entity	Fee for Small entity
[] one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
[] two months	\$ 400.00	\$200.00
[X] three months	\$ 920.00	\$460.00
[] four months	\$1440.00	\$720.00

Fee \$ 460.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

### 5. Extended period for response

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Based on the extension requested in this petition (and that for which a previous petition has been filed, if any), the extended period for response will expire on Monday, April 12, 2002.

## 6. Fee Payment

- [X] A check in the sum of \$ 460.00 is enclosed.
- [X] Charge any additional extension fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Account No. 50-0573.

Respectfully submitted

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